

# Safety Data Sheet



## 1. Identification

**Product Name:** VARA QT GRAIN ENHANCER BLACK      **Revision Date:** 3/3/2017  
**Product Identifier:** 313834      **Supersedes Date:** 12/14/2016  
**Product Use/Class:** Satin Wood Coating/Waterbased Alkyd  
**Supplier:** Rust-Oleum Corporation      **Manufacturer:** Rust-Oleum Corporation  
 11 Hawthorn Parkway      11 Hawthorn Parkway  
 Vernon Hills, IL 60061      Vernon Hills, IL 60061  
 USA      USA  
**Preparer:** Regulatory Department  
**Emergency Telephone:** 24 Hour Hotline: 847-367-7700

## 2. Hazard Identification

### Classification

### Symbol(s) of Product

Not a hazardous substance or mixture per 2012 OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29 CFR 1910.1200.

### Signal Word

No Signal Word has been assigned.

### GHS ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

H362

Contains one or more Category 1 or Category 2 Reproductive Toxicants at greater than 0.1%. A Safety Data Sheet shall be available for the mixture upon request.

## 3. Composition/Information On Ingredients

### HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS-No.</u>	<u>Wt.% Range</u>	<u>GHS Symbols</u>	<u>GHS Statements</u>
Modified Urea Thickener	PROPRIETARY	0.1-1.0	Not Available	Not Available
N-Methyl 2-Pyrrolidone	872-50-4	0.1-1.0	GHS06-GHS08	H315-319-331-335-360

## 4. First-aid Measures

**FIRST AID - EYE CONTACT:** Immediately flush eyes with plenty of water for at least 15 minutes holding eyelids open. Get medical attention. Do NOT allow rubbing of eyes or keeping eyes closed.

**FIRST AID - SKIN CONTACT:** Wash skin with soap and water. Remove contaminated clothing. Get medical attention if irritation develops or persists.

**FIRST AID - INHALATION:** Remove to fresh air. If not breathing, give artificial respiration. If breathing is difficult, give oxygen. Get immediate medical attention. Do NOT use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. If you experience difficulty in breathing, leave the area to obtain fresh air. If continued difficulty is experienced, get medical assistance immediately.

**FIRST AID - INGESTION:** Swallowing less than an ounce will not cause significant harm. For larger amounts, do not induce vomiting, but give one or two glasses of water to drink and get medical attention. If swallowed, rinse mouth with water. If feeling unwell, get medical attention.

## 5. Fire-fighting Measures

**EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:** Alcohol Film Forming Foam, Carbon Dioxide, Dry Chemical, Dry Sand, Water Fog

**UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS:** No unusual fire or explosion hazards noted. Keep containers tightly closed. FLASH POINT IS TESTED TO BE GREATER THAN 200 DEGREES F.

**SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES:** Water may be used to cool closed containers to prevent buildup of steam. If water is used, fog nozzles are preferred.

## 6. Accidental Release Measures

**STEPS TO BE TAKEN IF MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED:** If spilled, contain spilled material and remove with inert absorbent. Dispose of contaminated absorbent, container, and unused contents in accordance with local, state, and federal regulations. Do not incinerate closed containers

## 7. Handling and Storage

**HANDLING:** Wash thoroughly after handling. Wash hands before eating. Remove contaminated clothing and launder before reuse. Use only with adequate ventilation. Follow all MSDS/label precautions even after container is emptied because it may retain product residues. Avoid breathing fumes, vapors, or mist. Avoid contact with eyes, skin and clothing.

**STORAGE:** Store in a dry, well ventilated place. Keep container tightly closed when not in use.

## 8. Exposure Controls/Personal Protection

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Weight % Less Than	ACGIH TLV- TWA	ACGIH TLV- STEL	OSHA PEL-TWA	OSHA PEL- CEILING
Modified Urea Thickener	PROPRIETARY	1.0	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.
N-Methyl 2-Pyrrolidone	872-50-4	1.0	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.

### PERSONAL PROTECTION

**ENGINEERING CONTROLS:** Use process enclosures, local exhaust ventilation, or other engineering controls to control airborne levels below recommended exposure limits. Prevent build-up of vapors by opening all doors and windows to achieve cross-ventilation.

**RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:** A respiratory protection program that meets OSHA 1910.134 and ANSI Z88.2 requirements must be followed whenever workplace conditions warrant a respirator's use.

**SKIN PROTECTION:** Use gloves to prevent prolonged skin contact. Nitrile or Neoprene gloves may afford adequate skin protection.

**EYE PROTECTION:** Use safety eyewear designed to protect against splash of liquids.

**OTHER PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:** Refer to safety supervisor or industrial hygienist for further guidance regarding types of personal protective equipment and their applications.

**HYGIENIC PRACTICES:** Wash thoroughly with soap and water before eating, drinking or smoking. Remove contaminated clothing immediately and launder before reuse.

## 9. Physical and Chemical Properties

<b>Appearance:</b>	Liquid	<b>Physical State:</b>	Liquid
<b>Odor:</b>	Mild	<b>Odor Threshold:</b>	N.E.
<b>Relative Density:</b>	0.999	<b>pH:</b>	Not Determined
<b>Freeze Point, °C:</b>	N.D.	<b>Viscosity:</b>	N.D.
<b>Solubility in Water:</b>	Miscible	<b>Partition Coefficient, n-octanol/ water:</b>	N.D.
<b>Decomposition Temp., °C:</b>	N.D.	<b>Explosive Limits, vol%:</b>	1.1 - 10.6
<b>Boiling Range, °C:</b>	100 - 537	<b>Flash Point, °C:</b>	232
<b>Flammability:</b>	Does not Support Combustion	<b>Auto-ignition Temp., °C:</b>	N.D.
<b>Evaporation Rate:</b>	Slower than Ether	<b>Vapor Pressure:</b>	N.D.
<b>Vapor Density:</b>	Heavier than Air		

(See "Other information" Section for abbreviation legend)

## 10. Stability and Reactivity

**CONDITIONS TO AVOID:** Avoid contact with strong acid and strong bases.

**INCOMPATIBILITY:** Incompatible with strong oxidizing agents, strong acids and strong alkalis.

**HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION:** When heated to decomposition, it emits acrid smoke and irritating fumes.

**HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION:** Will not occur under normal conditions.

**STABILITY:** This product is stable under normal storage conditions.

## 11. Toxicological information

**EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - EYE CONTACT:** Irritating, and may injure eye tissue if not removed promptly.

**EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - SKIN CONTACT:** Low hazard for usual industrial handling or commercial handling by trained personnel.

**EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - INHALATION:** High gas, vapor, mist or dust concentrations may be harmful if inhaled. Avoid breathing fumes, spray, vapors, or mist.

**EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - INGESTION:** Substance may be harmful if swallowed.

**EFFECTS OF OVEREXPOSURE - CHRONIC HAZARDS:** No Information

**PRIMARY ROUTE(S) OF ENTRY:** Eye Contact, Ingestion, Inhalation, Skin Absorption, Skin Contact

### ACUTE TOXICITY VALUES

The acute effects of this product have not been tested. Data on individual components are tabulated below:

<u>CAS-No.</u>	<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>Oral LD50</u>	<u>Dermal LD50</u>	<u>Vapor LC50</u>
872-50-4	N-Methyl 2-Pyrrolidone	3914 mg/kg Rat	8000 mg/kg Rabbit	>5.1 mg/L Rat

N.I. - No Information

## 12. Ecological Information

**ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION:** Product is a mixture of listed components.

## 13. Disposal Information

**DISPOSAL INFORMATION:** Dispose of material in accordance to local, state, and federal regulations and ordinances. Do not allow to enter waterways, wastewater, soil, storm drains or sewer systems.

## 14. Transport Information

	<u>Domestic (USDOT)</u>	<u>International (IMDG)</u>	<u>Air (IATA)</u>	<u>TDG (Canada)</u>
UN Number:	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
Proper Shipping Name:	Not Regulated	Not Regulated	Not Regulated	Not Regulated
Hazard Class:	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
Packing Group:	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
Limited Quantity:	No	No	No	No

## 15. Regulatory Information

### U.S. Federal Regulations:

#### CERCLA - SARA Hazard Category

This product has been reviewed according to the EPA 'Hazard Categories' promulgated under Sections 311 and 312 of the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act of 1986 (SARA Title III) and is considered, under applicable definitions, to meet the following categories:

Chronic Health Hazard

#### Sara Section 313:

This product contains the following substances subject to the reporting requirements of Section 313 of Title III of the Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act of 1986 and 40 CFR part 372:

#### Chemical Name

Modified Urea Thickener  
N-Methyl 2-Pyrrolidone

#### CAS-No.

PROPRIETARY  
872-50-4

#### Toxic Substances Control Act:

This product contains the following chemical substances subject to the reporting requirements of TSCA 12(b) if exported from the United States:

No TSCA 12(b) components exist in this product.

## 16. Other Information

### HMIS RATINGS

Health: 2\*    Flammability: 1    Physical Hazard: 0    Personal Protection: X

### NFPA RATINGS

Health: 2    Flammability: 1    Instability: 0

VOLATILE ORGANIC COMPOUNDS, g/L: 46

SDS REVISION DATE: 3/3/2017

REASON FOR REVISION: Product Composition Changed  
Substance and/or Product Properties Changed in Section(s):  
15 - Regulatory Information

Legend: N.A. - Not Applicable, N.E. - Not Established, N.D. - Not Determined

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